

Amendment No. 2 to HB1169

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 864

House Bill No. 1169*

by deleting all the language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

(a) This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Senator Douglas Henry Tennessee History Act."

(b) The general assembly finds that:

(1) It is essential for all citizens to know and understand the unique heritage and history of the state of Tennessee;

(2) A clear and full understanding of Tennessee's history is fundamental to understanding Tennessee's place in the United States and the world; and

(3) Providing and promoting Tennessee history should be a core mission of our system of education.

(c) Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, the state board of education shall require a course in Tennessee history for students.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to the 2018-2019 school year and each school year thereafter.